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SUBJECT.

Directing that the practice of allowing the temple Servants etc. to live in the temples should at once be discontinued.

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From The Dy Commissioner Bangalore District

To The Secretary to the Dewan of Mysore

Dated Muzrai Branch. 19th February 1892

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Enclosures No.

General No.

No. 964.

Soliciting Sanction to the grant of Rs. 200/- from the Muzrai Surplus Funds for carrying out certain improvements to the Gangadhareswamy's temple at Gavipuram &c.

Central Jail Press, Bangalore.--14-8-91.--3,703.

Dy. Commissioners Office
Bangalore District.
Dated 19th February 1892

D. No. 964.

To

The Secretary to the Dewan
of Mysore.
Mazra Branch.

Sir, I have the honor to state that during my inspection of the Gangadharaswamy's temple at Gavipuram, I found that the temple and ~~the~~ precincts, together with the Kalyani, were kept in a filthy and insanitary condition.

2. This temple is within two miles of the Town, and there are several Chattrams in the locality. It is a favorite place of holiday resort to all classes of Hindus, all the year round. The gathering on festive and marriage occasions

is very large. It is highly es-
-sential that the temple, its sur-
-roundings and the Kalyani are
kept so as to avoid all chance
of epidemics breaking out from
the crowding of people in this
hot season.

3. Much has been done by
the Municipality to improve
the road leading to the temple
and to clear the filth and rubbish
accumulated in and around
the Chuttrams and in the village.

4. The temple Pujari has
for many years been living in a
house built inside the temple
walls and has enclosed within
his house, a large stone Trisula,
which is one of the sights of the
place. His living within the temple
is objectionable both on religious
and Sanitary grounds. I have given

orders that he should, at once, move out of the temple.

5. Funds are required for carrying out the above improvements to the temple and to the Kalyani and to compensate the Pujari. The temple has only a Jasdik of Rs: 2-6-9 and there are no funds at its credit. I would request that Rs: 200/- may be granted from the Muzrai Surplus funds.

6. The work is an important one and the improvements will be of a permanent character and will benefit almost the whole of the Hindu community in the city. I would therefore request that, as a special measure, the funds applied for may be placed at my

disp... an early date.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your Most Obedient Servant,

M Madhava Rao

Deputy Commissioner

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From

To The Dy Commrs
Bangalore Dist
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General No.
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Directing that the practice of allowing the temple servants &c to live in the temples &c should at once be discontinued.

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore.

Mugrai.

Read :—

Letter no : 964 dated 19th February 1892, from the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, reporting that the Pujari of the Gangadhareswaraswamy temple at Gavipura, Bangalore Taluk, was living in a house built inside the temple walls and that he directed him to move out of the temple.

Order thereon :— no :

Dated Bangalore, 24th Feby: 92 28th

The action of the Deputy Commissioner has the approval of Government.

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2. It has been brought to the notice of Govt that, the ~~following~~ marginally noted temples at Bangalore are also occupied by the respective Pujaris or

No. M 507-8.

1. Venkataramanaswamy temple Komaki Peth.
2. Ranganathaswamy temple, Ballapur Peth
3. Narasimhaswamy temple, Bale Peth
4. Lal Doss Venkataramanaswamy temple near Jamakhana Peth
5. Kalamma and Dwarkana Nagartha Peth

or others. The practice of allowing ~~people to live~~ to reside servants to live within the precincts of a temple is most objectionable ~~& must be at once put a stop to~~ ~~by~~. The Dy. Commr will be requested ~~by~~ to ~~by~~ ~~to~~ remove all the families that now live in the ~~temples~~ premises of the temples ~~by Order~~

Secretary.

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To

The Dy: Commr Bangalore Distt.

~~Dy. Commrs of other Districts, for information & guidance.~~

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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of My
(Muzaraʾi),—dated 24th February 1892.

READ :—

Letter No. 34, dated 19th February 1892, from the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, reporting that the Pujari of the Gangadharesvaraswami temple at Gavipura, Bangalore Taluk, was living in a house built inside the temple walls, and that he directed him to move out of the temple.

No. M. 501-8, DATED BANGALORE, 24TH FEBRUARY 1892.

ORDER THEREON.—The action of the Deputy Commissioner has the approval of the Dewan.

2. It has been brought to the notice of the Government that the marginally noted temples at Bangalore are partly occupied by the respective Pujaris or others. The practice of allowing temple servants to live within the precincts of temples is most objectionable and must be at once put a stop to.

1. Venkataramanaswami temple, Komtipet.
2. Ranganathaswami temple, Ballapurpet.
3. Narasimhaswami temple, Balepet.
4. Lal-Das Venkatramanaswami temple near Jamkhanapet.
5. Kalamma Devastanam, Nagaratpet.

A. SREENIVASACHARLU,
Secretary.

missioner, Bangalore District,
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Exd.—B.G.R.

1892.

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Dated 24th February 1892.

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Directing that the practice of allowing temple servants to live within the precincts of temples must be at once put a stop to.

Mysore Govt. C. Press, Bangalore.—5-5-92.—120.